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| | With Greater and Deeper Creative | § | Date: January 10, 2006 |
| | Flexibility | § | |

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents*
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Dear Sir:

The applicant hereby requests entry of this preliminary amendment to the claims in the above referenced application.

The amendment to the claims begins on page 2.

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